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VIRUS AND USES THEREOF :
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1 of the specification, please delete lines 5-7, the first paragraph of the specification, and substitute the following:

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--This application is a continuation of application U.S. Serial No. 08/468,190 filed June 6, 1995 which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/410,121 filed March 23, 1995 which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/126,597 filed September 24, 1993.--

On page 179 of the specification, please delete lines 7-20, the three paragraphs of the abstract, and replace these paragraphs with the following:

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO.: EL 403236015US

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